

## Quarantine Plan

### Afternoons – Catch It

During the afternoons for your 10 days in quarantine, we would like you to choose some of the activities below. You could complete a different activity each afternoon, you could spend a couple of afternoons doing one activity before choosing another, or you may wish to spend a few days to make an exceptional piece of work. It is completely up to you how you use your afternoons.

This set of activities is all based around a video called Catch It: <https://www.literacyshed.com/catchit.html>

Spend five minutes of your first afternoon watching the video. Then look at some of the activities below and choose which activities you'd like to complete.

<p><b>PSHE</b></p> <p>Why might the vulture have wanted or needed the fruit? It might have had a very good reason. Can you write a letter or draw a picture from the vulture to the meerkats saying sorry for trying to steal their fruit.</p>	<p><b>Computing/Art</b></p> <p>Use <a href="#">this website</a> to create a picture linked to the Catch It video (the savanna, a meerkat, a fruit, the vulture). Take a screenshot once you are finished.</p>	<p><b>Art/English</b></p> <p>Create a story board of the video. What happens at the beginning? What or who is the problem? What happens at the end? Create a picture for each part and add a sentence to explain what happens.</p>	<p><b>PSHE</b></p> <p>Piers the Meerkat is helping children to stay safe on the roads in <a href="#">this poster</a>. Can you design your own poster or advert to help children to stay safe around roads? You could use a meerkat or another animal of your own choice.</p>	<p><b>Geography</b></p> <p>A savanna is found between the rainforest and the desert. <a href="#">Click here</a> to learn about the rainforest. <a href="#">Click here</a> to learn about the desert. Would you rather live in the desert or the rainforest? Why? Write or draw about your decision.</p>
<p><b>Science</b></p> <p>What do you know about meerkats? Create a fact file about meerkats. Start with a picture of a meerkat (<a href="#">drawn</a> or printed) then add words or sentences which show what you know about meerkats. Learn about meerkats <a href="#">here</a> and <a href="#">here</a> or watch <a href="#">this video</a>.</p>	<p><b>Music</b></p> <p><a href="#">This</a> is a lovely video about meerkats. It starts with a fact and then shows meerkats playing. It needs some music to go over the top of it. Can you use any instruments or items you have in the home to make a soundtrack to the video?</p>	<p><b>Reading</b></p> <p>Watch <a href="#">this video</a> of Emily Gravett reading her book, Meerkat Mail. Make a postcard that Sunny would send back to his family saying what he's been up to. Remember to have a picture on the front and writing on the back. Find more activity ideas linked to this book <a href="#">here</a>.</p>	<p><b>Art</b></p> <p>Can you create a savanna sunset? Look at <a href="#">this website</a> and see the image at the top of the page. Create a piece of art which shows the red, yellow and orange background (paint, chalk, pencil) and silhouettes (paper) in front. See examples <a href="#">here</a>.</p>	<p><b>P.E.</b></p> <p>At the end of the video, the meerkats are playing rugby with the fruit. <a href="#">Click here</a> to view the rugby activities from the Sussex School Games. Practise some of these at home – you may need someone to help you. Can you improve your skill by being quicker or more accurate?</p>
<p><b>Art</b></p> <p>Can you draw a picture of a meerkat? Use any photo or picture you find to help you. <a href="#">This site</a> gives you a clear step-by-step guide to drawing one. Add some colour and give your meerkat a name!</p>	<p><b>Science</b></p> <p>Different animals make up the food chain in the savanna. Look at <a href="#">this diagram</a> which shows the food chain. Can you create your own version of the food chain in the African savanna? Be as creative as you like.</p>	<p><b>P.E.</b></p> <p>Practise catching a ball. If you have someone to throw one to you. If not, practise throwing from one hand and catching with the other then repeating this. How many times can you throw and catch the ball without dropping it?</p>	<p><b>Science</b></p> <p><a href="#">This</a> is a picture of a pomegranate fruit, like the one in the clip. What other fruits do you know with seeds on the inside? Can you draw and label them? If you have some at home, ask an adult to help you try them.</p>	<p><b>DT</b></p> <p>This story takes place in the African Savanna. Create a small world in a shoe box which shows what the Savanna looks like. <a href="#">Here</a> are some pictures of the savanna and see an example small world <a href="#">here</a>.</p>